## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

SINT, LLC and SLEEPY'S, LLC,

Plaintiffs, : Civil Action No.

08-cv-01841 (PAC)

v.

SLEEPY BEDDING & FURNITURE, CORP.,

:

Defendant. : July 14, 2008

## AFFIDAVIT OF CARRIE A. HANLON IN SUPPORT OF DEFAULT JUDGMENT

STATE OF CONNECTICUT	}
	} ss
COUNTY OF FAIRFIELD	}

Carrie A. Hanlon, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

- 1. I am a member of the Bar of this Court and am a partner with the firm of Wiggin and Dana LLP, attorneys for Plaintiffs in the above-entitled action. I am familiar with all the facts and circumstances in this action.
- 2. I make this affidavit pursuant to Rule 55.1 and Rule 55.2(a) of the Civil Rules for the Southern District of New York, in support of Plaintiffs' application for the entry of a default judgment against Defendant.

3. This is an action for trademark infringement and related claims and seeks injunctive relief and monetary damages, including attorney's fees, to which Plaintiffs are entitled as a result of Defendant's conduct, as described further below.

#### **Factual Background**

- 4. "When the Court enters a default judgment, it must 'accept[] as true all of the factual allegations of the complaint." *Tiffany (NJ) Inc. v. Luban*, 282 F. Supp.2d 123, 124 (S.D.N.Y. 2003), *quoting Au Bon Pain Corp. v. Artect, Inc.*, 653 F.2d 61, 65 (2<sup>d</sup> Cir. 1981). Certain of the factual allegations recited in Plaintiffs' Complaint are reproduced below:
  - A. Plaintiff Sleepy's, LLC is in the business of distributing and selling a variety of name-brand mattresses and related furniture and bedding products, such as bed frames, headboards and footboards, motorized beds, futons, folding beds, and mattress pads, through more than 600 retail stores in 11 states. All of the retail stores operate under the tradename "SLEEPY'S." The first SLEEPY'S store opened in New York in 1957. Sleepy's currently operates more than 100 retail stores in metropolitan New York alone, including several in Queens. (Complaint ¶ 8).
  - B. Plaintiff Sint, LLC is the owner of U.S. Trademark Registration No. 1,265,009 for "SLEEPY'S" for "mattresses and foundations," and for "retail furniture store services" (the "SLEEPY'S Mark"). The SLEEPY'S Mark was

registered on January 24, 1984. The SLEEPY'S Mark has become incontestable within the meaning of 15 U.S.C. § 1065. (Complaint ¶ 9).

- C. Plaintiff Sint, LLC is also the owner of approximately fifteen (15) additional U.S. trademark registrations, all of which incorporate or are related to the SLEEPY'S Mark, including but not limited to U.S. Trademark Registration Nos. 1,547,769; 1,946,855; 2,265,627; 2,322,385; 2,800,711; 2,800,712 (collectively, the "SLEEPY'S Family of Marks"). (Complaint ¶ 10).
- D. Plaintiff Sleepy's, LLC is the exclusive licensee of the SLEEPY'S Mark from Plaintiff Sint. Plaintiffs, directly and through certain predecessor entities, have used the SLEEPY'S Mark continuously since 1957, and continuously in interstate commerce since at least as early as 1977. (Complaint ¶ 11).
- E. Plaintiff Sleepy's, LLC is also the exclusive licensee of the SLEEPY'S Family of Marks from Plaintiff Sint, LLC. Plaintiffs, directly and through certain predecessor entities, have used and continue to use the SLEEPY'S Family of Marks in interstate commerce. (Complaint ¶ 12).
- F. As a result of the long and extensive use and advertisement of the SLEEPY'S Mark and the SLEEPY'S Family of Marks in connection with Plaintiffs' goods and services, the SLEEPY'S Mark has become closely associated with

Plaintiffs, has become exceedingly well-recognized and has acquired great value, and identifies Plaintiffs and their goods and services exclusively. (Complaint ¶ 15).

- G. Defendant Sleepy Bedding & Furniture, Corp. ("Defendant") is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, having a place of business at 95-03 Roosevelt Ave., Jackson Heights, New York 11372. Defendant conducts business in the sale of various mattress and bedding products through a retail store located at the foregoing address. Defendant was incorporated on or about December 17, 2007, and began its retail operations at or near that time. (Complaint ¶ 16).
- H. The mattress and bedding products offered by Defendant in its retail store location are of the same or similar type as offered and sold by Plaintiffs and are offered in the same channels of trade to the same general class of potential consumers as are the products of Plaintiffs. (Complaint ¶ 17).
- I. Upon information and belief, Defendant commenced offering its retail products and services under the marks or names "SLEEPY" and/or "SLEEPY BEDDING & FURNITURE" within the last seven (7) months, long after the commencement of business in the same types of goods and services by Plaintiffs inside and outside the State of New York, long after Plaintiffs and their predecessors first used the SLEEPY'S Mark, more than twenty years after the SLEEPY'S Mark was registered, and well after the SLEEPY'S Mark became

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well-known to the public inside and outside of the State of New York in connection with the goods and services offered by Plaintiffs. (Complaint ¶ 18).

- J. Defendant's use of the marks or names SLEEPY and/or SLEEPY BEDDING & FURNITURE will enable Defendant to trade upon and utilize the goodwill established by Plaintiffs in the SLEEPY'S Mark and the SLEEPY'S Family of Marks. (Complaint ¶ 20).
- K. Plaintiffs notified Defendant of its unauthorized use of the SLEEPY'S Mark on at least two occasions prior to the filing of this action, and Defendant failed to acknowledge or respond to either notice. Defendant has refused to voluntarily discontinue its use of the marks or names SLEEPY and/or SLEEPY BEDDING & FURNITURE despite repeated requests to do so. Defendant is fully aware of the intellectual property rights of Plaintiffs and has acted and continues to act in reckless disregard of those rights. (Complaint ¶ 22).

### **Nature of Plaintiffs' Claims**

- 5. Plaintiffs' Complaint set forth seven (7) causes of action against

  Defendant, all of which are related to Defendant's unauthorized use of the name SLEEPY

  and/or SLEEPY BEDDING & FURNITURE, which are confusingly similar to the

  SLEPPY'S Mark.
  - A. Trademark Infringement (15 U.S.C. § 1114(1))

Defendant, without the consent of Plaintiffs, is using in interstate commerce the marks or names, SLEEPY and/or SLEEPY BEDDING & FURNITURE, in connection with the sale, offering for sale, distribution and advertising of goods and services, which, because of their confusing similarity to the SLEEPY'S Mark and, inter alia, the fact that the identical kinds of goods are offered and sold under the SLEEPY and/or SLEEPY BEDDING & FURNITURE names as those offered and sold under the SLEEPY'S Mark and the fact that such goods are offered and sold under the SLEEPY and/or SLEEPY BEDDING & FURNITURE names in the same channels of trade and to the same types of consumers as the goods sold under the SLEEPY'S Mark, are likely to cause confusion or mistake among consumers, or to deceive consumers, as to the source of such goods and services, in violation of 15 U.S.C. §1114(1).

#### B. False Designation of Origin (15 U.S.C. § 1125(A))

Defendant, without the consent of Plaintiffs, is using the marks or names SLEEPY and/or SLEEPY BEDDING & FURNITURE in commerce in connection with goods and services, which is likely to cause confusion, or cause mistake, or to deceive consumers as to the affiliation, connection or association of Defendant with Plaintiff, or as to the origin, sponsorship, or approval of Defendant's goods, services or commercial activities by Plaintiffs, in violation of 15 U.S.C. §1125(a).

#### C. Trademark Dilution (15 U.S.C. § 1125(B))

The SLEEPY'S Mark is distinctive and famous, having been used by Plaintiffs and their predecessors in connection with the promotion and sale of its goods and services for over 50 years.

Defendant began using the SLEEPY and/or SLEEPY BEDDING & FURNITURE names after the SLEEPY'S Mark became famous, and thereby caused, and is causing, the dilution of the distinctive quality of the SLEEPY'S Mark in violation of 15 U.S.C. §1125(c).

#### D. Common Law Trademark Infringement

Defendant has engaged and is continuing to engage in acts of trademark infringement in violation of the common law of the State of New York.

#### E. Common Law Unfair Competition

The aforementioned activities of Defendant constitute unfair competition, including but not limited to the unlawful passing off of its goods and services as those of Plaintiffs, in violation of the common law of the State of New York.

#### F. Dilution Under New York General Business Law § 360-1

The SLEEPY'S Mark is distinctive and well known, having been used by Plaintiffs and their predecessors in connection with the promotion and sale of its goods and services in New York and elsewhere for over 50 years.

Defendant began using the SLEEPY and/or SLEEPY BEDDING & FURNITURE names after the SLEEPY'S Mark became well known, and thereby caused, and is causing, the dilution of the distinctive quality of the SLEEPY'S Mark and/or the likelihood of injury to the business reputation of Plaintiffs in violation of NY Gen. Bus. Law § 360-1.

#### G. *New York Deceptive Acts and Practices § 349*

At all times herein relevant, Defendant has been engaged in the trade or commerce of advertising for sale, offering for sale and selling goods, namely mattress and bedding products, to consumers in the State of New York.

The conduct of Defendant as set forth above and incorporated herein, including its adoption and use in its business of the marks or names SLEEPY and/or SLEEPY BEDDING & FURNITURE, which are confusingly similar to Plaintiffs' SLEEPY'S Mark, and its intent to trade on the good will of Plaintiffs and the SLEEPY'S Mark and to pass off its goods as those of Plaintiffs, constitute misleading and deceptive acts or practices within the meaning of NY Gen. Bus. Law § 349.

#### H. Willfulness

Upon information and belief, the adoption and use by Defendant of the marks or names SLEEPY and/or SLEEPY BEDDING & FURNITURE in connection with its goods, services and commercial activities was in bad faith and in willful disregard of Plaintiffs' rights, with intent to trade on and appropriate the reputation and goodwill which Plaintiffs have built up in the SLEEPY'S Mark and the SLEEPY'S Family of Marks, and to divert customers and revenues from

Plaintiffs. Plaintiffs claim of willfulness is substantiated by the fact that

Defendant disregarded both cease and desist letters sent to Defendant and

continued to use the offensive name after receipt of those letters, attached hereto

collectively as Exhibit A. Further, Plaintiffs have pictures, attached hereto

collectively as Exhibit B, of this continued use of the offensive name by

Defendant.

### Jurisdiction

- 6. This Court has jurisdiction over the subject matter of this action and of the parties pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§1331, 1332, 1338 and 1367; 15 U.S.C. §1121; and the doctrine of pendent jurisdiction.
- 7. Defendant is subject to personal jurisdiction in this judicial district because Defendant resides and conducts business in this judicial district.

#### **Procedural History of This Action**

8. This action was commenced on February 25, 2008, by the filing of the Summons and Complaint. (D.I. #1.) A copy of the Summons and Complaint was served on Defendant Sleepy Bedding & Furniture, Corp. on February 25, 2008, by personal service on Basem Jad, and proof of service by the Process Server was filed with the Court on February 29, 2008. (D.I. #2.) Defendant has not answered the Complaint, and the time for the Defendant to answer the Complaint has expired.

- 9. On March 8, 2008, the Defendant, a corporation, filed a Notice of Appearance Pro Se. (D.I. #4.) At the same time, the Defendant filed a Motion to Dismiss under Fed. R. Civ. P. 12(b), generally arguing that "Sleepy Bedding & Furniture" had been "approved" by the State of New York. (*See* D.I. #3.)
- 10. On March 17, 2008, the Court ordered that: a) the Defendant appear by an attorney within thirty (30) days due to it being a corporation; b) the Defendant's Motion to Dismiss Under 12(b) would not be considered; and c) the failure of Defendant to appear by an attorney may result in a default judgment. (See D.I. #5.)
- 11. By letter dated April 15, 2008, and received on April 16, 2008 (the last day of Defendant's Court-ordered period to appear by an attorney), Defendant sought an additional thirty (30) day extension of time within which to retain counsel and respond to the Complaint, which request Plaintiffs opposed. On April 18, 2008, the Court granted Defendant an additional thirty (30) days to appear by attorney and warned that failure to do so would result in a default judgment. (See D.I. #6.)
- 12. The deadline established by the Court's April 18, 2008 Order has passed, and Defendant has failed to appear or seek additional time.
- 13. Plaintiffs filed a Request for Certificate of Default on June 6, 2008. (D.I.#7.) Default was entered by the Clerk of the Court on June 6, 2008.

#### **Remedies Sought By Plaintiffs**

- 14. Through their application for default judgment and supporting papers,
  Plaintiffs seek an injunction and an award of attorneys' fees and costs incurred in
  connection with this action. Plaintiffs are entitled to both the injunction and the award of
  attorneys' fees and costs, as discussed in detail below.
- Act for exceptional cases, which includes cases involving fraud or bad faith or willful infringement. *Patsy's Brand, Inc. v. I.O.B. Realty, Inc.*, 317 F.3d 209, 221-22 (2d Cir. 2003). Taking the facts alleged in the Complaint as true, Defendant has acted willfully and in bad faith by adopting and using the marks or names SLEEPY and/or SLEEPY BEDDING & FURNITURE in connection with its goods, services and commercial activities, with intent to trade on and appropriate the reputation and goodwill which Plaintiffs have built up in the SLEEPY'S Mark and the SLEEPY'S Family of Marks, and to divert customers and revenues from Plaintiffs. Plaintiffs claim of willfulness is substantiated by the fact that Defendant disregarded both cease and desist letters sent to Defendant and continued to use the offensive name after receipt of those letters, attached as Exhibit A. Further, Plaintiffs have pictures, attached as Exhibit B, of this continued use of the offensive name by Defendant.
- 16. Exhibit C is a true copy of the monthly statements directed by Wiggin and Dana LLP to Plaintiffs for services and disbursements rendered in this matter from January 25, 2008, to June 30, 2008, which covers the preparation of two cease and desist

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letters, the preparation, filing and service of the Complaint, and the preparation, filing and service of other papers in this action. The costs and fees outlined below do not include the preparation and filing of this Affidavit or the concurrently filed Application for Default Judgment. Entries and information unrelated to the present matter have been redacted from Exhibit C.

- 17. Based on my experience in handling numerous trademark litigations, I believe that the attorney's fees and costs that were incurred in connection with these activities, including the detailed facts and law, were reasonable and warranted, and that the hourly rates of the attorneys involved are reasonable and in line with rates charged in Fairfield County, Connecticut and New York County, New York for attorneys of comparable experience.
- 18. As illustrated in Exhibit C, Carrie A. Hanlon spent 12.3 hours and Laura A. Chubb spent 18.4 hours on this matter. Carrie A. Hanlon charges a reasonable hourly rate of \$410.00, and Laura A. Chubb charges a reasonable hourly rate of \$315.00. The services rendered and the date of those services are also shown in Exhibit C.
- 19. The proposed reasonable amount of attorneys' fees due to Plaintiffs is \$ 10,839 and was arrived at by the following calculation:

Carrie A. Hanlon: 12.3 hours at \$ 410.00/hour = \$ 5.043.00

Laura A. Chubb: 18.4 hours at \$ 315.00/hour = \$ 5,796.00

\$5,043.00 + \$5,796.00 = \$10,839.00, total amount of reasonable attorneys' fees requested.

20. In addition to the attorneys' fees, Plaintiffs have also incurred certain costs in connection with this action, which they seek to recover from Defendant. Those costs, which are reflected in Exhibit C, are:

Filing Fee (for Complaint): \$ 350.00

Process Server Fee: \$ 144.00

Overnight Delivery Charges (to serve papers on Defendant): \$ 10.98

The total costs of \$ 504.98 incurred by Plaintiffs in connection with this matter are reasonable and necessary and should be included in any default judgment issued against Defendant, as provided by 15 U.S.C. § 1117(a).

WHEREFORE, for the reasons detailed herein and in the concurrently filed Plaintiffs' Application for Entry of Default Judgment Against Defendant, Plaintiffs request that a default judgment be entered against Defendant, the terms of which would comport with the relief requested by Plaintiffs herein.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Carrie A. Hanlon

Sworn to before me

Notary Public

My Commission Expires

Jan A. Murray
Notary Public. State of Connecticut
My Commission Expires June 30, 2013

day of July, 2008

# **EXHIBIT A**

Wiggin and Dana LLP 400 Atlantic Street P.O. Box 110325 Stamford, Connecticut 06911-0325 www.wiggin.com Carrie A. Hanlon 203.363.7633 203.363.7676 fax chanlon@wiggin.com



#### WIGGIN AND DANA

### VIA CERTIFIED MAIL – RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Counsellors at Law

January 25, 2008

Sleepy Bedding & Furniture, Corp. 95-03 Roosevelt Ave. Jackson Heights, New York 11372

Re: Infringement of SLEEPY'S trademark

To whom it may concern:

This firm represents Sint, LLC and Sleepy's, LLC (collectively, "Sleepy's").

Sleepy's is the owner of all right, title and interest in U.S. Trademark Registration No. 1,265,009 for SLEEPY'S for "mattresses and foundations" and for "retail furniture store services" (the "SLEEPY'S Mark"), which was registered by the United States Patent & Trademark Office on January 24, 1984, and has been used in commerce since 1957 and in interstate commerce since at least 1977. Additionally, Sleepy's owns more than fifteen (15) additional U.S. trademark registrations, all of which incorporate or are related to the SLEEPY'S Mark.

Your use of the mark or name SLEEPY BEDDING & FURNITURE in connection with the sale of mattresses and bedding products through a retail store located in Jackson Heights, Queens constitutes an infringement of Sleepy's valuable and incontestable intellectual property rights, in violation of several federal and state statutes and the common law, including but not limited to the Lanham Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1051 et seq. This is so because the confusing similarity between the mark or name SLEEPY BEDDING & FURNITURE and the SLEEPY'S Mark, coupled with the fact that the identical kinds of good are offered and sold under the SLEEPY BEDDING & FURNITURE name as those offered and sold under the SLEEPY'S Mark and the fact that such goods are offered and sold under the SLEEPY BEDDING & FURNITURE name in the same channels of trade and to the same types of consumers as the goods sold under the SLEEPY'S Mark, are likely to cause confusion or mistake among consumers, or to deceive consumers, as to the source of such goods and services. Moreover, in light of the fact that Sleepy's owns and operates more than 100 retail locations in the metropolitan New York area alone (and more than 600 nationwide), in conjunction with an extensive print, radio and TV advertising campaign, it would appear that your selection of the SLEEPY BEDDING & FURNITURE name was a deliberate attempt to trade off the goodwill and reputation of the SLEEPY'S Mark, which amounts to willful infringement of Sleepy's rights.

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#### WIGGIN AND DANA

Counsellors at Law

The SLEEPY'S Mark and other intellectual property rights owned by Sleepy's are very valuable assets that Sleepy's intends to vigorously protect. Therefore, Sleepy's hereby demands that your company immediately cease using the name SLEEPY BEDDING & FURNITURE, or any variation thereof, in connection with any business activities related to the sale or offering for sale of mattresses, furniture, bedding or related goods and services; take all steps necessary to change your business name so that it is not confusingly similar to the SLEEPY'S Mark; destroy all signage, labels, stationary, packaging, promotional and advertising and the like, whether in paper or electronic form, bearing the name SLEEPY BEDDING & FURNITURE; and provide an accounting of all sales made by your company under the name SLEEPY BEDDING & FURNITURE since its inception.

This letter constitutes Sleepy's good faith effort to resolve this matter cooperatively and without litigation. We urge you to consider the seriousness with which our client regards its intellectual property rights and to govern yourself accordingly, so as to avoid unnecessary trouble and expense in resolving this matter. This letter does not limit or prejudice Sleepy's rights and remedies related to this matter, which hereby are expressly reserved.

Sincerely,

cc:

Carrie A. Hanlon

Adam S. Blank, Esq. (via email)

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#### WIGGIN AND DANA

Counsellors at Law

VIA CERTIFIED MAIL -RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED AND FEDERAL EXPRESS

February 13, 2008

Sleepy Bedding & Furniture, Corp. 95-03 Roosevelt Ave. Jackson Heights, New York 11372

Re: Infringement of SLEEPY'S trademark

To whom it may concern:

As you know, this firm represents Sint, LLC and Sleepy's, LLC (collectively, "Sleepy's") in intellectual property matters.

On January 25, 2008, we sent you a legal demand letter (which was received on January 28, 2008) regarding your unauthorized use of the SLEEPY'S Mark for the sale of mattresses and bedding products. A copy of that letter is enclosed.

Despite our request that you promptly respond and cease using the name SLEEPY BEDDING & FURNITURE, we have not yet heard from you nor have you ceased use of name. The SLEEPY'S Mark and other intellectual property rights owned by Sleepy's are very valuable assets that Sleepy's intends to vigorously protect. Therefore, we have prepared the enclosed federal lawsuit against your company, which states claims under federal and state law and seeks monetary damages as well as preliminary and permanent injunctive relief prohibiting you from continuing to use the marks or names SLEEPY and/or SLEEPY BEDDING & FURNITURE. The lawsuit also seeks enhanced or punitive damages as a result of your willful disregard for Sleepy's rights, which your actions to date plainly support. We will file this lawsuit in federal court next week, unless we receive written confirmation from you prior to that time that you will immediately cease and desist from using the marks or names SLEEPY and/or SLEEPY BEDDING & FURNITURE, or any variations thereof, in connection with any business activities related to the sale or offering for sale of mattresses, furniture, bedding or related goods and services; that you will refrain from using any mark or name that is confusingly similar to the SLEEPY'S Mark in connection with any business activities related to the sale or offering for sale of mattresses, furniture, bedding or related goods and services; and that you provide an accounting of all sales made by your company under the marks or names SLEEPY and/or SLEEPY BEDDING & FURNITURE since its inception.

Sleepy Bedding & Furniture, Corp. February 13, 2008 Page 2

#### WIGGIN AND DANA

Counsellors at Law

This letter constitutes Sleepy's final good faith effort to resolve this matter cooperatively and without litigation. This letter does not limit or prejudice Sleepy's rights and remedies related to this matter, which hereby are expressly reserved.

Sincerely,

Carrie A. Hanlon

**Enclosures** 

cc: Adam S. Blank, Esq. (via email, w/encl.)

# **EXHIBIT B**





# **EXHIBIT C**

WIGGIN AND DANA

Counsellors at Law

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Tax id: 06-0590100

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Hours

Adam Blank, Esq. General Counsel Sleepy's, Inc. 175 Central Avenue South Bethpage, NY 11714-4940 Please Indicate Invoice Number on Remittance Invoice No. 8399897 February 8, 2008

FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES RENDERED For the period through January 2008

Matter No. 00017202-000007 Re: General IP Matters

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C. Hanlon

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#### PAYMENT INSTRUCTIONS

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Wiggin and Dana LLP
P.O. Box 7247-7112
Philadelphia, PA 19170-7112

\*If you prefer to wire transfer payment, please send funds to:
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Swift no. CITIUS33

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Adam Blank, Esq. General Counsel Sleepy's, Inc. 175 Central Avenue South Bethpage, NY 11714-4940 Please Indicate Invoice Number on Remittance Invoice No. 8400969 March 10, 2008

FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES RENDERED For the period through February 2008

Matter No. 00017202-000007 Re: General IP Matters

<b>Date</b> 02/01/08	Timekeeper	Description	Hours
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02/08/08	C. Hanlon	Email to A. Blank regarding proposed strategy for addressing Sleepy Bedding & Furniture infringement	0.20

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<b>Date</b> 02/13/08	<b>Timekeeper</b> C. Hanlon	Description Call with A. Blank regarding status and strategy for Sleepy Bedding & Furniture; prepare complaint and second demand letter; research regarding New York causes of action; update status chart	Hours 3.00
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02/20/08	C. Hanlon	call with A. Blank regarding decision to proceed with lawsuit against Sleepy Bedding & Furniture; discuss preparation of materials for same with L. Chubb; assemble paperwork and review applicable local rules	reduce to .8 hr
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02/21/08	L. Chubb	Prepare complaint and filing documents to Sleepy Bedding & Furniture for filing and service	3.00
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02/21/08	C. Hanlon	Exchange emails with L. Chubb regarding preparation of case initiating documents and questions regarding same; review and revise draft papers	0.50
02/22/08	C. Hanlon	Revise and finalize papers for lawsuit against Sleepy Bedding & Furniture; discuss issues regarding filing suit with L. Chubb; exchange emails with A. Blank regarding same; discuss strategy for filing suit with L. Chubb	1.30
02/22/08	L. Chubb	Conference with C. Hanlon regarding filing complaint; conference with R. Stewart regarding same; prepare filing documents for filing complaint against Sleepy in Queens	1.30
02/25/08			



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<b>Date</b> 02/26/08	Timekeeper L. Chubb	Description Prepare and mail letter to Sleepy Bedding regarding local rules; prepare and mail letter to Judge including courtesy copy of complaint; e-mail initiating documents to the Clerk of the Court; conference with C. Hanlon regarding same; conference with R. Stewart regarding same	<b>Hours</b> 2.40
02/26/08	C. Hanlon	Exchange emails with L. Chubb regarding tasks required to be completed by court; review cover letter to defendant enclosing court's rules; review Judge Crotty's personal rules; prepare Rule 7.1 corporate disclosure statement; review and revise cover letter to judge enclosing courtesy copies of initiating documents; review proof of service	1.50
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FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES RENDERED For the period through March 2008

Matter No. 00017202-000007 Re: General IP Matters

Date 03/03/08	Timekeeper	Description REDACTES	Hours
03/03/08	L. Chubb	E-mail with R. Stewart regarding filing affidavit of service and	0.20
03/03/08		summons	
03/04/08			
03/04/08			

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<b>Date</b> 03/05/08	<b>Timekeeper</b> C. Hanlon	Description Review letter to Judge Crotty transmitting required paperwork in Sleepy Bedding case  call from B. Jad regarding lawsuit against Sleepy Bedding & Furniture  exchange	Hours 1-20 Only .7h for this matter
03/05/08		emails with A. Blank regarding status update and litigation strategy	
03/05/08	L. Chubb	Prepare letter to Judge Crotty enclosing courtesy copies of the affidavit of service and summons; mail same	1.20
		REDACTED	
03/12/08	C. Hanlon	Review electronic court notices regarding filing of Motion to Dismiss in Sleepy Bedding case; call to clerk's office regarding same	0.40
03/13/08		REDACTED	
03/14/08	C. Hanlon	Review motion to dismiss and discuss opposition to same with L. Chubb	0.40
03/14/08	L. Chubb	Call clerk and calculate response deadline regarding defendant's motion to dismiss	0.60
03/17/08	C. Hanlon	Review order denying motion to dismiss on grounds that corporate party cannot be pro se; exchange e-mails with L. Chubb regarding same	0.30
03/17/08	L. Chubb	Review order and calendar deadline for defendant to retain counsel	0.10
03/18/08	C. Hanlon	E-mail to A. Blank regarding status of Sleepy Bedding & Furniture matter	0.20
Total Hours			
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#### **Disbursements**

Overnight Delivery Service

03/05/08 Overnight Delivery Service Federal

Express #254076255 to Sleepy Bedding &

Furniture on 2/13/08

redacted

Service of Process

03/14/08 Service of Process - Essential Services 144.00

Group - 2/25/08, served Summons in a Civil Action and other documents to Sleepy Bedding & Furniture, Corp.

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C. Hanlon		410.00	
L. Chubb		315.00	
R. Stewart		200.00	
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Matter No. 00017202-000007 Re: General IP Matters

<b>Date</b> 04/09/08	Timekeeper	Description	Hours
04/09/08		REDACTED	
04/10/08			
04/16/08	L. Chubb	Prepare letter to judge opposing Sleepy's request for extension of time to obtain an attorney	0.40
04/16/08	C. Hanlon	Exchange emails with L. Chubb regarding second request for extension of time from Sleepy Bedding and preparation of objection to same; review and revise draft objection to request for extension; email to L. Chubb regarding same	0.80
04/17/08	C. Hanlon	Exchange emails with L. Chubb regarding objection to request for extension of time in Sleepy Bedding matter	0.20
04/17/08	L. Chubb	Review judge's rules regarding opposing extension of time and fax letter to judge opposing defendant's extension of time request	1.10

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Date Timekeeper Description Hours

04/25/08

04/28/08

04/30/08

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**Total Hours** 

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FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES RENDERED For the period through May 2008

Matter No. 00017202-000001

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Date 05/19/08 Timekeeper

Description

Hours

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<b>Date</b> 05/01/08	Timekeeper	Description	Hours
05/01/08		REDACTED	
05/19/08			
05/27/08	L. Chubb	Review e-mail and discuss default judgment with C. Hanlon	0.10
Total Hours			
Total Fees			

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FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES RENDERED For the period through June 2008

Matter No. 00017202-000007 Re: General IP Matters

Date 06/02/08	Timekeeper L. Chubb	Description Prepare motion for default judgment and request for default certificate	Hours 4.00
06/03/08 06/03/08	L. Chubb	Prepare motion for default judgment and request for default	1.20
06/03/08		REDAGTED	
06/05/08	C. Hanlon	Discuss procedures for obtaining default judgment in Sleepy Bedding matter with L. Chubb; review and revise draft default	0.60
06/05/08	L. Chubb	papers Finalize request for certificate of default and discuss same with C. Hanlon; prepare my appearance	2.20
06/06/08	L. Chubb	Discussion regarding filing request for certificate of default in clerk's office and ECF: file same and file notice of appearance	0.50

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<b>Date</b> 06/06/08	Timekeeper C. Hanlon	Description Review default papers regarding Sleepy Bedding; discuss same with	Hours 0.20
06/24/08	C. Hanlon	Discuss status of motion for default and strategy regarding same	0.20
06/24/08	L. Chubb	with L. Chubb  Discuss motion for default judgment with C. Hanlon	0.10
Total Hours			

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